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Honorable Commissioner of
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the document listed on the attached form PTO-1449, cited in the attached Amendment. It is respectfully requested that the documents be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the documents be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. The listing of any reference herein is not to be construed as an admission that any reference listed is in fact "prior art".

The relevance of each non-English language reference, if any, is discussed in the present specification.

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AUTHORIZATION

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